

POLICE DEPARTMENT

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No Threat Found in Suspicious Package on Prairie Avenue

March 20, 2018 - A suspicious package found outside of a store in the 2700 block of Prairie Avenue contained a non-threatening object.

The package was located near a mailbox at 2:39 p.m. Tuesday, but the circumstances involving the package were deemed suspicious. The Winnebago County Sheriff's Department's Hazardous Devices and Explosives Squad responded and disrupted the package, which allowed investigators to determine there was not a threat from the package.

Individuals at the surrounding businesses were cleared from the area as a precautionary measure. The Beloit Police Department appreciates the watchful resident who brought this package to our attention.

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